

MOTH BALLS FOR EVERYBODY!

A full stock of every-
thing you require for
house cleaning. Ring
Nelson Soule for your
drug wants.

THE MARKETS.

Reported by the Lacy Grain Co.
Chicago, Ill., March 14.

Months	Open	High	Low	Close
July wheat	17.7	18	16.4	16.6
May corn	30.1	30.1	29	30.1
May oats	25.1	25.1	25.1	25.1
May pork	9.9	9.95	9.80	9.90
May lard	5.10	5.10	4.95	5.02
May rice	5.02	5.02	4.95	4.97
May cotton	5.95	5.95	5.92	5.93

PUTS AND CALLS.
Wheat, 100,000.
Northwestern receipts—500.
Curb on wheat.

Kentucky to Prepare.
Maysville, March 14.—Adjutant
General Dan Collier will this week
organize here a militia company to be
known as the United States reserves.
It is supposed the company will be
pressed into service in the event of
war with Spain. The government
will equip and maintain the com-
pany.

National Reserve Association.
Regular meeting tonight at 7:30
at their hall in Leech block. All
members requested to be present.
J. KING GRIMM, R. J. SETTELE,
Sec. Pres.

A full assortment
of...
**Munyon's
Remedies and
Humphreys'
Specifics at
Lyne & Lyne's
Drug Store.**

MORE WARLIKE THAN EVER.

The United States Buys the Two
Brazilian Warships and Will
Man Them Immediately.

THE INSURGENTS REFUSE ALL OVERTURES FROM SPAIN.

A Government Naval Board Will Seize Mer-
chant Vessels in New York Harbor
For Immediate Use.

IMMENSE WAR CONTRACTS

Will Be Let By the Government
Today at Washington, Spend-
ing That Fifty Million
Dollars.

SPAIN IS GETTING DESPERATE.

Would Like to Make Peace With
the Cubans, But She Con-
tinues Her Prepara-
tions For War.

SUMMARY OF THE SITUATION TODAY

Washington, March 14.—The sit-
uation today seems to be more favor-
able for war with Spain than at any
day before since the destruction of
the Maine.

The government has finally pur-
chased two warships from Brazil, and
they will be manned by American
seamen immediately.

A naval board is in New York to-
day to select American merchant
vessels for immediate use by the gov-
ernment.

The rush at the Sandy Hook naval
station today is unusual. Tests are
being made of government ordnance.
It has developed today that Spain
is making desperate efforts to prevent
war by making terms to Cuba that
will bring about peace. But the in-
surgent leaders have refused all over-
tures from Spain.

It was stated today at the navy de-
partment that every American war-
ship is coaled up and ready for im-
mediate duty.

The activity at the forts along the
coast indicates the near approach of
war. All the women and children
have been sent away and the forts
are now ready for an attack.

As a matter of fact a quieter feel-
ing prevails this city today, but it is
simply the calm that comes from the
confidence that everything is ready
for any emergency.

It is expected that the president
will issue his proclamation this week
intervening in favor of the Cuban
insurgents.

Late cables from Spain indicate
that her government is making des-
perate attempts to avoid war without
backing down. But the Cubans will
listen to no terms.

MUNITIONS OF WAR.

Immense Contracts That Will Be Let
at Washington Today.

Washington, March 14.—The war
department today will open bids for
one of the largest orders of shot and
shell for heavy caliber guns ever
given, including armor-piercing pro-
jectiles and deck-piercing and torpe-
do shells. The number and charac-
ter of these are as follows: Nine
hundred and thirty-three twelve-inch
deck-piercing shells weighing 800
pounds each; 481 ten-inch armor-
piercing shells; 482 ten-inch armor-
piercing shot, capped; 149 eight-inch
armor-piercing shells; 150 eight-inch
armor-piercing shot, capped.

These projectiles are for the heavy
fortification guns now mounted along
the coast. The purchase is to be
made under the \$50,000,000 defense
appropriation bill, but is in anticipa-
tion of the fortification bill which
grants \$240,000 for a reserve supply
of projectiles and powder.

As the making of
the heavy projectiles will take con-
siderable time, the contract will be
let ahead of the passage of the bill,
assurances having been given from
men in congress that no question
would be raised as to the regularity
of this proceeding. The entire
amount is designed to give all the
heavy guns now installed and those
to be put in place during the coming
year a full quota of projectiles and
powder. The twelve-inch shot are
among the largest made. The cost
of a single round of this class of pro-

jectiles is \$511. Aside from the large
order to be placed today, the
emergency bill will permit additional
orders to meet the requirements of
such fortification guns as may be
mounted for emergency. The pres-
ent order is for the actual needs of
the guns now mounted without refer-
ence to any existing emergency, al-
though it has been made all the more
imperative by the Spanish crisis.

SPANISH TREACHERY CERTAIN.
The President Has Had This Infor-
mation for a Week.

New York, March 14.—The Army
and Navy Register Friday said:
"Certain evidence gathered by the
court at Havana has come in a semi-
official form to the president from
members of the board. This infor-
mation has been in the hands of the
president since Sunday and has serv-
ed as the occasion for unusual activ-
ity during the past week. The infor-
mation is that the Maine was de-
stroyed by a government subma-
rine mine planted in Havana harbor
and deliberately exploded. The
Maine was purposely moored in the
vicinity of the mine and the explo-
sion occurred at a moment when the
ship had been opportunistically car-
ried by wind and tide directly over the
mine. These facts have been written
about in dispatches from Havana,
Madrid and Washington, and among
the varied statements made the actual
conditions have been touched upon,
but nothing authoritatively has been
permitted to escape from the court.
That body is understood to have com-
pleted their work, but nothing is
likely to be officially promulgated re-
garding the findings for a week or
more.

MARSHALL TRAGEDY.

Sam Jackson Futally Shot By
Pete McCain, a Prominent
Farmer, Near Ben-
ton.

Used a Double-Barrelled Shot
Gun and Escaped—Tragedy
Occurred Over Killing of
McCain's Son.

The sequel to the celebrated Mar-
shall county tragedy that occurred
five or six years ago, took place this
morning when Thomas McCain, a
well-known farmer residing four miles
from Benton, shot and mortally
wounded Samuel Jackson about 11 o'clock
this forenoon.

The trouble occurred over the mur-
der of Pete McCain, a son of Tom
McCain, who was killed five
of more years ago by Bud
Anderson, a half brother of Sam
Jackson, the man shot today, and
Lucy Roberts. Anderson was sen-
tenced to be hanged and Roberts to
the penitentiary for life. They both
broke jail, and Anderson has never
been captured.

Roberts loitered about this part
of the country until captured by De-
caturville over near Vienna,
Illinois, last fall, and brought back,
being lodged in the penitentiary for
life.

There has since the above named
tragedy been no little feeling over
the killing of McCain, and it today
burst forth in the shooting of Jack-
son by McCain, father of the mur-
dered boy.

A shot gun was used, and at last
accounts McCain had not been ar-
rested.

WEATHER REPORT.

Louisville, March 14.—Increas-
ing clouds tonight possibly fol-
lowed by showers Tuesday. Slowly
rising temperature.

Death of a Respected Lad.
Monroe Lindsey, aged 15, a lad
highly respected in the Massena neigh-
borhood, died Saturday night of
pneumonia. The remains were buried
yesterday afternoon from Palestine
church, and the funeral was one of
the largest ever witnessed in the
vicinity.

READY TO DEFEND THE OLD FLAG

Patriotic Sentiments From Confe-
derate General Gordon.

Owosso, Mich., March 14.—Gen.
J. B. Gordon, of Georgia, who
lectured here Friday evening on
"Last Days of the Confederacy,"
received a telegram from his state
saying: "One hundred and fifty
thousand of your comrades stand
ready to follow your lead in the
protection of our national honor."

Said the general: "I think I hear
Rebel yells and Yankee hurrahs
mingled as our common country
unites in protection of our flag."

Young Men's Congress at Y. M. C.
C. A. tonight 8:30 o'clock. Free to
men.

ON THE EVE OF A GREAT WAR!

THE SOUND OF BATTLE WILL SOON BE HEARD!

The stillness of tonight, and the echo of the music "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," as it floats upon the air, will make our
throbbing hearts stirred to action as we think of

THE BATTLEFIELD OF TOMORROW

Already the stirring of troops and of cavalry can be heard at the arsenal, waiting for the marching sound of music, to be on the field in readiness at Noah's Ark tomorrow. Promptly at 6:30 p. m. the music will begin, and continue throughout the beautiful night, and the battle-ery will be heard. "On with the march to-
morrow!" The dedicating of Noah's Ark's new home, 319 Broadway, will take place this evening, when a musical entertainment by Prof. Hobson's Opera House
Orchestra will be rendered, and over two thousand souvenirs will be given away during the program of music. The great opening and birthday sale will take place to-
morrow and Wednesday, March 15 and 16, in commemoration of our Birthday. Never in the history of Western Kentucky were goods to be sold as low as in this
Greatest of all Great Sales. We also will

GIVE AWAY \$5.00 IN GOLD, CASH

On any \$6.00 article in the house, to the customer who makes the largest purchase in our store during these two days. We can only enumerate a few of the hundreds
of bargains that are to be given, but we promise that everything will be sold as never before heard of. Read a few.

A one gallon glass oil can, always sold for 25c, birthday price 10c.	A poker, shovel and stove litter, each worth 50c, birthday price 25c for all.	Good three-stitched brooms, worth 15c, birthday price 5c.	40 useful padlocks, all sold for 75c and \$1.00 each, birthday price 25c each.
A large fourteen quart steel enamel dish pan, reg- ular price 35c, birthday price 15c.	A No. 1 lamp, complete, regular price 25c, birthday price 10c.	Wire egg whips, regular price 50c, birthday price 10c.	Nice decorated cups and saucers, regular price 60c set, birthday price 30c set.
A large steel enamel wash basin, regular price 20c, birthday price 10c.	One dozen table tumblers, regular price 15c set, birthday price 10c dozen.	Eight-inch pie plates, regular price 50c, birthday price 10c each.	Hotel goblets, regular price 30c set, birthday price 20c set.
Steel enamel pint cups, regular price 10c, birthday price 5c.	Large preserve bowl and cover, regular price 10c, birthday price 5c.	A beautiful bouquet lamp, regular price \$1.00, birth- day price 50c.	Large half gallon china pitchers, regular price 15c, birthday price 10c each.
Four quart dairy pan, steel enamel, regular price 15c, birthday price 10c.	Set of cups and saucers, regular price 30c set, birth- day price 15c set.	No. 2 lamp chimney, 3c each, No. 1 lamp chimney 2c each.	Half gallon tin oil can, regular price 15c, birthday price 10c.
A nice six-quart pudding pan, regular price 10c, birthday price 5c.	A six piece chamber set, regular price \$1.50, birth- day price 75c.	Four spoons Brook's good thread, regular price two for 5c, birthday price 10c each.	Large china soap jars, regular price \$1.00, birthday price 50c.
Calumet water bucket, regular price 20c, birth- day price 10c.	Set of dinner plates, regular price 35c set, birthday price 20c set.	Twelve-ounce cotton mops, regular price 15c, birth- day price 10c.	Eighteen bars of the famous Noah's Ark soap, 25c.
Twelve quart repanned slop bucket, regular price 10c, birthday price 5c.	A good left spring roller window shade, regular price 20c, birthday price 10c.	Beautiful stand lamp, regular price 65c, birthday price 35c.	Large china soap jars, regular price \$1.00, birthday price 50c.
A six-quart covered bucket—just imagine—sells everywhere for 15c, birthday price 5c.	A ten-inch feather duster, regular price 10c, birth- day price 5c.	Fancy bowl and pitcher, regular price 50c, birthday price 25c.	Fancy Indian clothes hampers, regular price \$1.25, birthday price 60c.
Set of nice knives and forks, regular price 45c, birthday price 25c.	Japanned bread boxes, regular prices 30c, 40c and 50c, birthday prices 25c, 35c and 45c.	Beautiful twelve-piece chamber set, decorated in gold, regular price \$5.50, birthday price \$3.00.	Berry dishes in fancy glass, regular price 20c set, birthday price 10c set.
	Spring alarm clocks, regular price 50c, birthday price 25c.	All of our chamber sets will be reduced 50 per cent, during this sale.	Handsome Carlsbad china plates, worth 75c set, birthday price 40c set.
	A regular 25c coffee mill, birthday price 10c.	Handsome hundred-piece Delta blue dinner sets, regular price \$3.00, birthday price \$1.25.	The best linen spring roller six-foot window shade, regular price 35c, birthday price 15c each.

This is only a few of the Great Bargains we are to give, but sufficient to give you an idea of how
we will sell during this great Birthday celebration.

Greatest Store in Western
Kentucky.

NOAH'S ARK

319 Broadway, Paducah,
Kentucky.

Dalton Can Please You

The Tailor

333 BROADWAY

Tailor-made suits to order for less money than ready-
made ones of same quality. Everybody can wear a tailor-
made suit at the prices charged by

Dalton's Tailoring Establishment

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS.

\$ 00.00 BUYS residence site 250x150 on Lovelaceville gravel
road, next Simmon's grocery, 2 miles out; ten
feet above the street level.
\$250.00 BUYS Fountain Ave. lot, northeast corner Clay street,
street improvements paid.
\$500.00 BUYS 3-room house, north side Broad street, corner
8th street, lot 65 feet front; new fences, newly
painted, good renter.
FAIR PRICE BUYS 80x173 storage warehouse property east
side Second street, near Washington;
belt railroad line touches rear of lot. This property will bring
fancy price when wanted. Brings in now 8 per cent and taxes
on price asked.

I own all above property, and will make terms to suit, or trade for
city bank stock.
GEO. C. HUGHES.
312 Broadway.

HANDINE

For Chapped Hands
and Face, Use
**WINSTEAD'S
HANDINE**
There is nothing to equal
it. Sold by all first-
class druggists.
Second Hand Goods
Highest cash prices paid by
WILLIAM BOUGENO & SON
208 Court street. We also carry a line of new
furniture, stoves, ranges, etc. Call and get our
prices before buying elsewhere. We also ex-
change new goods for old.

MONDAY, MAR. 14, 1898

The passage of the Goebel bill has made Kentucky Republican; but whether the votes are counted that way or not depends upon the success of the operation of the Goebel bill.

The Goebelites are claiming that the operation of the Goebel Election Commission law will surprise the people. As we understand it, it is not only intended that the people shall be surprised, but also paralyzed.

The line of distinction between the principle that framed and passed the Goebel bill and the principle actuating toll gate raiders is very dim. One aims at the destruction of personal property and the other at the destruction of personal rights.

Tomorrow is the last day of the present session of the Kentucky Legislature. From the standpoint of Senator Goebel, the session has been one of unqualified success. By the introduction of Goebellism into Kentucky politics, this legislature has formulated an issue that will transcend in its vital importance all other issues before the people.

"Failures in February, 1898, were as few as in any month, except three, in the past fifty-two months. Though a short month, it is one of those in which failures are above the average in several branches, but the record shows that this year the failures have been unusually small in a majority of the classes."—From Dun's Review, March 6, 1898.

Those persons who cannot understand the reason for the low price of cotton, can get some idea from the following facts: The cotton crop for the year will reach 11,000,000 bales and possibly half a million more. While in 1872 the cotton crop of this country was only 2,975,000 bales. The enormous cotton crop, the past few years of depression and the European shortage in the wheat crop, explain why cotton is so low.

APRIL 23d is the date set by the Iriquois club, of Chicago, for a gathering of the sound money Democrats for consultation with reference to the coming campaign. The proposition which Chairman Jones, Butler and Towne have made for fusion of Populists, silver Republicans and Democrats in behalf of free coinage is being indignantly rejected by men who voted against free silver in 1896 and by many, especially the farming class, who supported it on that occasion.

The United States minister to Mexico in a recent report to the State Department, says that the Mexican Secretary of the Treasury in his recent annual report states that one of the principal factors restricting foreign trade is the fall and fluctuations in the price of silver. A high rate of exchange, says Secretary Limantour, need not necessarily depress trade if it were permanent in its character, as trade could be adapted to any rate, but the constant fluctuations in the price of silver are more injurious than any actual depression.

The people of Mr. Bryan's state have reduced their mortgage indebtedness about seven million dollars in the past year despite the fact that free coinage of silver was not adopted in 1896. The farm mortgages released during the year amounted to \$14,767,000, and the new mortgages filed, \$11,844,000, while in the cities the mortgages filed during the last six months of 1897 were \$1,890,000 and those released \$4,245,000. Assuming that the work of the first six months of 1897 in the cities was as satisfactory as that of the last half of the year, the reduction in mortgages in Nebraska would amount to between seven and eight million dollars.

The loss of Chili, Japan, Russia and India from the ranks of the silver standard nations has been a severe blow to the free coinageists and it now appears quite probable that they will meet with further reverses of this kind before the campaign of 1900. Reports from China indicate that the violent fluctuations in the value of silver is causing great dissatisfaction with the silver dollar which, by the decree of 1890, was made current money, and that there is a disposition to follow in the foot steps of

Japan, and to the gold standard as soon as practicable. It is also known that Mexican financiers are in many cases expressing a desire for the adoption of the gold standard in their own country.

The predictions made by opponents of the Dingley bill that it would result in large advances in prices of articles of common consumption have proven as inaccurate as those in which it was insisted that it could not produce sufficient revenues to meet the expenses of the government. The revenue receipts are now exceeding the expenditures and the prices of articles of common consumption are in many cases lower than they were a year ago. Dun's Review, in a recent issue, shows that cotton goods of nearly all grades were much lower on March 1, 1898, than they were on January 1, 1897; that nearly all articles of iron and steel have also fallen instead of advanced and even in the matter of boots and shoes, where it was insisted that the duty placed on hides must result in an advance in the cost of those articles to the wearer, prices are actually lower than they were at the beginning of last year.

A Democratic caucus will be held tonight at Frankfort to nominate the three Election Commissioners under the Goebel Force law. It is said that the Democrats propose to make a big bluff at the public by electing three men of irreproachable character. The electing of such men, however, will deceive nobody. The fraudulent work will be done by the three County Commissioners. These men will be all Democrats and will be selected by the partisans of Senator Goebel, even though they may nominally be appointed by the State Board. These County Commissioners will be selected according to their fitness for the peculiar work that Senator Goebel wants done, and that work will be outlined to the County Commissioners in no uncertain manner. It will be only a part of Goebel's deep laid plans to have three men of high standing put on the State Board. He knows he will be allowed to select the County Commissioners.

The past ten days have in one respect been the most remarkable in the history of modern times. It seems that the battlefields of the future are to be on the seas. At least the absorbing demand of the world today is for warships. Within the past ten days, the United States has authorized the expenditure of \$50,000,000 for national defense; of this a very large part will go for ships and their equipment. The czar of Russia has ordered the immediate expenditure of 90,000,000 rubles, or \$60,300,000 in the construction of a new navy. The Emperor of Germany has demanded the sum of 200,000,000 marks, or \$46,000,000 for the building of German battleships. The first Lord of the British Admiralty has asked for the sum of \$127,000,000 to be expended in one year of the fleet of Great Britain. France has begun work on a definite plan for constructing a new navy which will require \$100,000,000. And all these significant events took place within the space of ten days.

THAT RESTLESS FEELING.
Mighty restless feeling in the country round about.
Lookin' ever' minute for the war ter thunder
Ever' thing uncertain from the mountains ter the sea—
But that's a blame sight better'n the war itself 'ud be!
Ship's 'bout an' powder on the train's 'bout 'round;
Thar's 'bout up the breasted works (an' we're needin' 'em, too!)
Ever' thing suspicious an' on tip-toe for an' free!
But that's a blame sight better'n the war itself 'ud be!
Stocks a-risin' 'falloin', with the news the wire bring;
Telephone a-goin' with a everlasting ring!
Ever' body anxious from the mountains ter the sea.
But anxiousness is better'n the war itself 'ud be!

Folk say that if she's comin' let her hurry up an' come!
Let the rattle ring the message—beat the drum!
But I'll wait for the doctrine, in this country 'o' free,
Suspense is ten times better'n the war itself 'ud be!

Arrived From Owensboro.
The Murray Comedy company came down from Owensboro yesterday, where it played a most successful one week engagement to good business. The company will hold the boards at Morton's during this week, and will no doubt be liberally patronized.

Y. M. C. A. Reception.
Preparations are complete for the Y. M. C. A. reception to members tomorrow evening at Association headquarters. Cards have been issued to all the members, announcing as a special feature of the evening's entertainment, the appearance of Mr. Matthew Carney, the rising young monologist, who will give some selections.

N. C. & St. L. Pay Train.
The pay train of the N. C. & St. L. will arrive Tuesday and pay off local employees. The Illinois Central pay train, as stated Saturday, will be in next Friday.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.
To quit safely and easily, and forever, buy and use the "Cure." It cures the habit, makes weak men strong, and restores the system. It cures the habit, makes weak men strong, and restores the system. It cures the habit, makes weak men strong, and restores the system.



HE DID HAVE A HARD TIME TRAVELING IN AMERICA—CARRYING ALL THAT STUFF.

THE LIE

Given to Weyler By a German Captain, Who Knows Where of He is Speaking.

He Says Mines Are at Havana, and the Late Captain Knows It—German Saw Them.

A special from Newport News, W. Va., of Saturday the 12th inst. says: Capt. Gronmeyer, of the German steamship Castilla, now in port filling its bunkers for a trip to Havana, tells a startling story in confirmation of the fact that the battleship Maine was destroyed by treachery. He declares that he saw submarine mines laid in the harbor of Havana two years ago. Capt. Gronmeyer is well known here, his vessel touching at this port every few months, and he is considered extremely trustworthy by those who are intimately acquainted with him. In an interview late to-night Capt. Gronmeyer said:

"About two years ago I had occasion to take my vessel into harbor at Havana. Just before reaching the entrance to the harbor signals were run up on shore warning me not to enter. Almost immediately a government tug put out from the pier, and in a few minutes a government pilot clambered over the rail of the Castilla and proceeded to take the vessel into the harbor. I asked the pilot what this all meant. He informed me that the government authorities were placing submarine mines in the bottom of the harbor, and that it was exceedingly dangerous for a vessel to enter except under the guidance of one who knew where the terrible engines of destruction were situated."

"My curiosity was somewhat aroused and I afterward watched the men placing the mines with a good deal of interest. They were cylindrical-looking affairs, about eighteen inches long and about six inches around. Two wires were attached to each mine, one being taken to one bank and one to the other, where they were attached to electric batteries and ready to be fired off at the will of the officers who had charge of them. Action of the salt water on the wires may have caused them to corrode and break, thus leaving the mine to float to and fro for a limited distance with the ebb and flow of the tide, making it impossible for those who should have warned vessels against the danger to locate the mines with any degree of accuracy. It may be that the Maine, in swinging around with the action of the tide struck one of these loose torpedoes and was destroyed. This, however, is simply a theory."

"When Capt. Gen. Weyler says there are no mines in the bottom of Havana harbor he is lying, and knows it, for he was in charge of the Spanish affairs on the island at that time and must have known at least as much about the existence of the mines as I do, and I positively know they were placed there, for I saw them."

THE OSBORNE

Will Be a New Boat Thursday Next.

She Will Then Resume Her Transferring For the Illinois Central.

The big Illinois Central transfer steamer Osborne, after being on the dock in Duck's nest for several months past, will be let out Thursday next, and resume her run between Paducah and Brooklyn, almost a new boat.

The work done on the boat cost \$20,000 or more, and is the best that could be procured. The Illinois Central always has the best and most skilled labor.

After being brought back to the city to resume her run, the Marian will be returned to Cairo, where she was stationed before coming here.

In appearance the Osborne is one of the prettiest boats Paducah has ever have the pleasure of seeing. She has been almost completely reconstructed, two pilot houses and a new cabin having been built, and an entire new coat of paint given her.

Try Stecher's Special Brew Pilsener at Detzel's old place, corner 4th and Broadway.

SPECULATION A SCIENCE

The Effects of WAR Upon the Markets.

A New Book, Price in cloth, \$1.00. In paper, 50 cents, postpaid.

CONTENTS.—Professional speculation in stocks, cotton and grain. Methods of successful speculation described. Why novices lose and how professional gain. Difference between speculation and gambling. Safeties. Qualifications and facilities necessary to success. Exchange laws. Warnings to the unwary. Who to trust and who to avoid. Invaluable suggestions to amateurs and investors, etc., etc. An entertaining book by an old professional speculator. Send for a circular more fully descriptive.

CONTRACTS.—A clear and concise treatise upon methods of speculation.—New York Evening Sun, March 10. Written in entertaining fashion. The experience and knowledge of the author is undoubtedly.—New York Times, March 10. The author is an experienced speculator, who tells how money is made and lost in Wall Street.—New York Tribune, March 10. The book deals with an interesting subject in an entertaining manner.—N. Y. Stockholder, March 10.

THE AUTHOR'S PUBLISHING CO., 20 & 22 Broadway, New York.

MARRIED IN METROPOLIS.

Mr. H. G. Greif, of the City, and Miss Mary Cloyes, of Mayfield, United.

The Couple Drove Overland and Returned at Once to Paducah.

Mr. H. G. Greif, of the city, and Miss Mary Cloyes, of Mayfield, Ky., drove to Metropolis yesterday, and crossing the river, went to the home of Mr. H. R. Smith, a relative of the groom, and were quietly united in marriage, Justice Thomas Liggett officiating.

They returned to the city at once, and are at the home of the groom on Jackson street. Mr. Greif is a well known young broom maker, and a highly respected young man. His bride is a popular and pretty young lady with many friends and admirers.

THE FRANKLIN CASE

Set For Tomorrow in the Benton Court—May Be Deferred.

The motion for a new trial in the Noah Franklin case will come up tomorrow at Benton, but there is some talk of postponing it until later on during the term. The result of any effort to put off, however, cannot be foretold.

The motion will be argued before Judge W. S. Bishop, and not Judge Husbands, it is understood. Judge Reed, attorney for the defense, so stated this morning. Judge Bishop tried the case and is thoroughly familiar with it.

BAGGEGEMAN FLOWERS

Has Concluded to Take a Brief Holiday.

Baggage Agent Will Flowers, of the Illinois Central Union Depot force, is off taking a holiday for a day or two, and Mr. J. Norton Moore is filling his place temporarily. It is his first vacation for several years.

REV. ELLINGER

Returns Home—Other Rabbits to Preach on Trial.

Rev. Emil Ellinger, of Mt. Vernon, Ind., lectured to another large crowd at Temple Israel yesterday afternoon, and left for home last evening.

No meeting of the congregation has yet been held to decide on calling a rabbi, as several more, it is understood, will discourse here on trial before a selection is made.

NEWS NOTES.

The czar has ordered the expenditure of ninety million roubles for the construction of warships. It was reported in the lobby of the house of commons that this move on the part of Russia will lead to considerable increase in the British naval estimate.

Directors of the Mt. Sterling and Owensville turnpike have offered \$500 for information leading to the arrest of any of the men who attempted to blow up a part of the roadbed with dynamite Wednesday night.

The department of agriculture reports last year's crops still in the farmers' hands as follows: Wheat, 121,000,000 bushels; corn, 783,000,000 bushels, and oats 272,000,000 bushels.

It is reported that some of the division deputies discharged a few weeks ago by Collector Franks, of the Second district, will take the matter before the civil service commission.

Rev. Samuel Wesley Barham, aged ninety, and a pioneer minister of the Christian Church, died Thursday at Caveville, Ky.

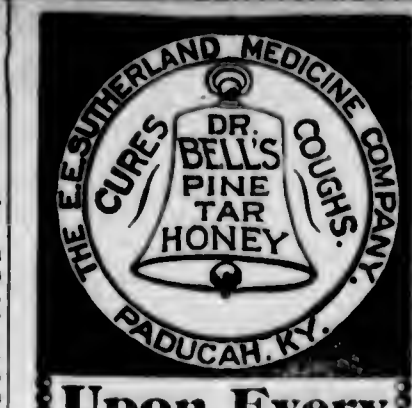
Mayor McKisson, of Cleveland, has announced that he will contest the election of Senator Hanna for the long term.

The White Star line steamer Majestic sailed from England Thursday with over \$2,000,000 of gold for this country.

The Supreme court of Indiana has decided that the waste of natural gas is a nuisance and must be abated.

The proposed consolidation of the wire and wire-rope interests of the country has again been declared off.

The American Thread company has been incorporated in New Jersey with a capital of \$12,000,000.



Upon Every Bottle

and wrapper of the genuine Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is printed the above design. It is both trouble-proof and guaranteed a warrant that the medicine contained in the bottle will cure coughs, colds and all lung, throat and chest troubles more quickly and effectively than any other remedy.

DR. BELL'S Pine-Tar-Honey

is sold by all druggists or sent upon receipt of price—25c. 50c. and 1 per bottle by mail. Sample bottles sent free.

DR. A. M. COVINGTON, OF METROPOLIS, ILL.

Tender: his professional services to all suffering from diseases of the

DR. W. C. EUBANKS, HOMEOPATHIST.

Office—3rd Broadway. Telephone 123. Residence, 1800 Jefferson St. Telephone Office Hours 9:00 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Galt House

LOUISVILLE, KY.

American Plan \$3.00 to \$5.00 per day.

Rooms only \$1.00 and upwards.

A. E. COOPER, Manager

Brinton B. Davis, ARCHITECT.

Office Am.-German Nat. Bank

A. S. DABNEY, DENTIST.

406 BROADWAY.

DR. D. A. AMOSS

Homeopathic Physician

Office, 407 Broadway. At Office, 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Telephone, 291. Residence, 291.

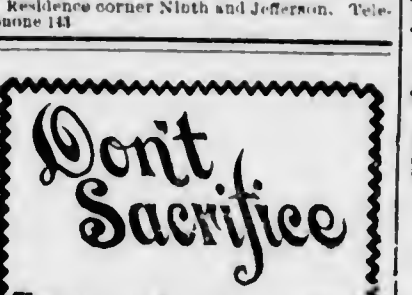
HARRY F. WILLIAMSON, M.D.

Physician and Surgeon

Office Hours: 7 to 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Office, No. 419 1/2 Broadway.

DR. J. D. SMITH'S

Regular hours for office practice, 7 to 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. and 4 to 7 p.m. When practicable call early in, rather than near the close of these hours. Office on Ninth, between Broadway and Jefferson. Residence corner Ninth and Jefferson. Telephone 141



Future comfort for present sewing economy, but buy the sewing machine with an established reputation, that guarantees you long and satisfactory service.



ITS PINCH TENSION

TENSION INDICATOR. (Devices for regulating and showing the exact tension) are a few of the features that emphasize the high grade character of the Whites.

Send for our elegant H. T. catalog.

WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO., CLEVELAND, O.

Represented by Chas. Freiderick, Paducah, Ky.

Matil-Effinger & Co

Underwriters and embalmers.

Store Telephone 123 Residence Telephone 123 130 S Third

Geo. Bernhard



Noubliez pas...

About the old story of the camel—how three philosophers heard about the animal and determined to investigate. The Englishman hunted through the folios of the British Museum, to find what had been said about the beast; the German went into his study, locked the door, lit his pipe and began to evolve a conception of the animal from his own consciousness; the Frenchman went down to Sahara to see.

YOU'VE heard a good deal about the great clearing-out sale going on here. This week we're selling ladies' shoes for \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00, worth as high as \$5.00. Misses' and Children's at 75c, worth up to \$3.00. The styles are not the latest, and we haven't all sizes of each lot, but why not do as Frenchman—See for yourself? You'll learn more regarding this great sale in five minutes at the store than we could tell you on a whole page of this paper.

OUR GRAND OFFER

To keep our great factory busy, and introduce early our splendid 98 bicycles we have concluded to make a marvelous offer direct to the rider.

For 30 days we will sell samples of our swell 98 bicycles at net cost to manufacture and will ship, C. O. D. on approval to any address on receipt of the nominal sum of \$1.00 (if west of Denver, \$5). This deposit is merely to show good faith on purchaser's part; if you don't want to send money in advance, send your express agent's guarantee for charges one way and we will pay them the other if you don't want the wheel.

SIBERIAN. Highest grade, embodying every late improvement of value, 1 1/2 inch imported tubing, bush joints, improved two-piece cranks, arch crown, large detachable sprockets, handlebars, fenders and decorations, Morgan & Wright, quick repair time, single or double tube, high grade equipment. \$29.00.

SEARCH. A splendid machine, equal to any for service and easy running. Best 1 1/2 inch imported tubing, two-piece cranks, arch crown, large detachable sprockets, fenders and decorations, Morgan & Wright, quick repair time, single or double tube, high grade equipment. Our special sample price—\$24.00.

CLONDIKE. Best medium grade for 1898. 1 1/2 inch tubing, striped and decorated, arch crown, dual-proof bearings, fenders, best Indiana or New York wheels, standard equipment. Special price on sample—\$19.00.

Choice of Color, Style, Height of Frame, Gear, etc. Fully Guaranteed. We will be supplied at the appearance and quality of these wheels. Don't wait, order now with this offer is open. Prices will be much higher soon. You can make big money by selling a few of these. We direct our agents to cash, the free use of a separate agent or gift it a wheel, according to work done.

Do You Want Cheap Wheels?

We have hundreds of 1897 and 1898 model wheels of various makes and styles, some a little shabby, but all new. \$12.00 to \$16.00.

Wheels Slightly Used, Modern Types, \$8.00 to \$12.00.

Our business and reputation are known throughout the country. References, any of the express companies, or any bank in Chicago. At Lakeside Hotel, South agency at once.

The J. L. Mead Cycle Co., - Chicago.



The Skeleton in Most Houses

Is bad plumbing. It's out of sight, its defects are sometimes unsuspected, but it is none the less a constant menace to the health. When we do plumbing it is well done—it is as near perfection as human skill can bring it. It stays done, too—it isn't constantly getting out of order. Safety and economy both urge you to come to us.

ED D. HANNAN, 132 South Fourth St.

HIGH-GRADE BICYCLES AND BICYCLE SUNDRIES...

PADUCAH CYCLE WORKS

126 and 128 North Fifth street, near Palmer Home.

Dr. Albert Bernheim

Physician and Surgeon

Fifth Street... NEXT DOOR THE PALMER

HOURS { 7:30 9:00 a.m. 1:00-3:00 p.m. 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Telephones { Office, - 364 Residence, 144

Home, & Sweet & Home!

How to make it more beautiful... Handsome pictures make lovely homes.

We are pleased to announce that we have secured the finest and most beautiful line of pictures for premiums to our customers that have ever been offered to the Paducah public. We have heretofore given our patrons many desirable premiums, but these works of art which we now offer surpass even our own former offerings. These very handsome decorations, desirable for the homes of every one, we will give to our customers

ABSOLUTELY FREE

—picture, frame and all, ready to grace a vacant space on any wall, in room or hall. We desire to show our customers how much we appreciate their trade by selling the cheapest goods in town, and also by giving them something free in return for their liberal patronage. We don't keep them "guessing," either. There is no game of chance about our premiums. Every customer may be a sure winner of some of our handsome art gems. Our extremely low cut prices on dry goods, furnishing goods and notions have pleased our old customers greatly and brought us many new ones. Our shoes—yes, our shoes—for men, women and children, are the cheapest on the banks of the Ohio. Our prices on shoes please everybody. Even some who "come only to look" remain to buy—not only because we have the cheapest shoes in town, but also from the fact that every pair gives satisfaction. "Now is the accepted time" to buy splendid bargains at our store, and get first choice of our beautiful pictures free. Come soon and see for yourself, so you can tell your friends about our low prices and elegant gift pictures.

John J. Dorian

205 Broadway Paducah, Ky.

[illegible]

GO TO CALIFORNIA!

—VIA—

**The Southern
Route**

**The Iron Mountain Route,
Texas and Pacific and
Southern Pacific Railways**

TAKE THE

FAMOUS • SUNSET • LIMITED

A train without an equal. Leaves
St. Louis 10:30 p. m., Tuesdays and
Saturdays. Only

SIXTY HOURS TO LOS ANGELES

Through the Sunny South to sunny
California. Write for particulars
and descriptive literature.

H. C. TOWNSEND,
General Passenger
and Ticket Agent,
St. Louis, Mo.

H. T. & J. MATTHEWS,
Southern Ticket
Agent, 374 N. Main
St., Louisville, Ky.

When in Metropolis
stop at the

STATE HOTEL.

\$1.50 a day. Special rates by the
week. D. A. BAILEY, Prop'r.
between 4th and 5th on Ferry st

HENRY BURNETT
Attorney - at - Law
Will practice in
all the courts.
18 South Fourth St., PADUCAH, KY

J. S. GANSTER

Notary Public

AND SOLICITOR OF
PENSION CLAIMS

Prompt and thorough attention given
to all cases.
Vouchers for quarterly payment of
pensions carefully attended to.

IF YOU DRINK, DRINK THE BEST
...YOU CAN FIND IT AT THE...
NEW RICHMOND HOUSE BAR
Mitchell Bozeo, Prop.

Finest of Wines, Liquors and Cigars
always on hand

J. J. PURSLEY
All Kinds Upholstering and Repairs
ON FURNITURE.
Mirrors replated and made good as
new. Mattresses made to order. Old
stoves and second-hand furniture.
TAKEN IN EXCHANGE FOR WORK.
Send word, and I will call and make
estimates on work. Charges very
reasonable. No. 712 South Fifth.

COOK REMEDY CO.

BLOOD POISON

A SPECIALTY

Primary, Secondary or Tertiary Blood
Poison permanently

CURE IN 15 TO 35 DAYS

You can be treated at home for the same price under strict privacy. If you prefer to come here we will contract to pay your railroad fare and hotel bills, and discharge all we owe to you.

IF YOU HAVE

Taken Mercury, Iodine Potash, and still have sores and pains, Mercuric Iodine in mouth, Sore Throat, Pimples, Coughs, colds, or sores on any part of the body, Hair or Eyebrows falling out, it is this condition.

BLOOD POISON

WE GUARANTEE TO CURE!
We sell the most obstinate cases, and challenge the world for a case we cannot cure. Please let us know the name and the skill of the most efficient physician.
Examine our blood, and our special blood purifier. Absolute Proof sent upon application. Write for our literature and free Address BOOK REMEDY CO.,
117 Massachusetts Temple, CHICAGO, Ill.

COOK REMEDY CO.

An Old Doctor's Favorite.
Dr. L. M. Gillam, who practiced medicine over forty years, originated, used and claimed that **Botanic Blood Balm**, (B. B. B.) which has now been in use about fifty-five years, was the best Tonic and Blood Purifier ever given to the world. It never fails to cure the most malignant tumors, scors, rheumatism, catarrh, and all skin and blood diseases. Beware of substitutes. Use this standard remedy. Price per large bottle, \$100.

AFTER SEVERAL DOCTORS FAILED.
I have been afflicted with Catarrh for many years, although all sorts of medicines and several doctors did their best to cure me. My blood was very impure, and nothing ever had any effect upon the disease until I used that great Blood Remedy known as **Botanic Blood Balm**, (B. B. B.). A few bottles of which effected an entire cure. I recommend it to all who have catarrh. I refer to any merchant or banker of Athens, Ga., and will reply to inquiries.

R. R. SALTER.
For sale by druggists.

Referring to Senator Elmore on the floor of the senate, Mr. Bronston said it was a pity Mayfield was not represented in that body by a gentleman. Friends prevented the shedding of any precious blood.

A public sale of the personal effects of the Mercer county Society of Shakers was held at Pleasant Hill, Ky., Wednesday. Only about sixty members of the once flourishing community now survive, and they are advanced in years.

The bill to Gerrymander the Third congressional district has been passed over the governor's veto.

EXPERIENCE SAYS SO.
CASCARA Candy Company, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, acts gently and promptly on the stomach, liver and bowels, and restores the entire system, dispels colic, cures hemorrhoids, fever, habitual constipation and all ailments. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. today! 10c, 25c, 50c. Sold everywhere. Guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

WRITTEN AT RANDOM.

General Secretary A. Knox, of the Y. M. C. A., has a quiet humor about him which clingeth to him like a brother, as the saying is. The general secretary, unfortunately, does not have as much time to devote to the fair sex as he might wish, on account of the arduous duties which continually demand his attention. Consequently he is not expected to know much about them. These circumstances form the preface to an amusing story told at his expense.

Since he came to Paducah a great many of the young men make constant attempts of him, while numerous others go to him for consolation and advice. They all appear to think he knows everything in the books and a great deal more than in them, and as a result some of his questions propounded to him would perplex a modern sphinx. He would look you and wonder them all. However, in the next case the young men never knew his difficulties.

"Certainly, certainly," was the reply, as the secretary prepared himself.

"I have an engagement to call on my young lady, and want to know what time I should go and how long I should stay."

"Well, er—!—you see that would depend," seriously answered the secretary, somewhat at a loss to know how to proceed. "I should deem it good form, however, not to go before supper and to leave before breakfast."

↑ ↑ ↑

No doubt hundreds of people heard the alarming report Saturday that the steamship Montgomery had been blown up in Havana harbor. Quite likely some of them have not yet learned that there was no truth in the rumor, and many were yesterday hither and yon inquiring concerning it.

The story of how the cannon started is an interesting one, and illustrates how easily a damphool can mislead the nation. A young telegraph operator at a St. Louis wireless office, while talking over the wires to a rural "plug" somewhere on the line, Friday afternoon, asked him if he had heard down there "that the Montgomery was blown up before the time."

The "ham" closed the key and made a break for the streets in the middle, where he told everybody in sight that the Montgomery had been blown up. A train bound for St. Louis

They carried it to St. Louis, and either thinking it was correct, or else preparing it inadvertently in their efforts to verify it, and the cannon shot reached the stock exchange, where it came near precipitating a panic before it could be contradicted. The telephones in St. Louis newspapers, according to reports, were kept busy for over two solid hours verifying the report. By Saturday it

They were discussing a "crazy mill" in course of construction by the members of one of the churches on some other day. The mill is to be made of large squares, on which the names of members of the church are to be worked. Several of the ladies commented on the aesthetic advantages of such a work of art and how often it would be rifled off or sold, when one said:

"We made one of those things in our church at B— once, and I'll declare, it was the ugliest thing you ever saw! It was simply dreadful, and we couldn't rattle it off or sell it. We didn't know what else to do with it, so we finally just gave it to the preacher."

There stood the pastor, just back of the imprudent speaker, but he was not the least disconcerted, and looking benignly at the fair workers, he said:

that quilts. I just knew you would
 do that, and, I'm sure I have felt
 all along that you were making it for
 me, and I'm sure I'll appreciate it,
 or I shall always have the names of
 my members before me when this
 careful handwork is completed."
 So the preacher got the better of
 the mistake, and it looks very much
 as if he had put a tree that the ladies will
 now have to give him that quilt.

**Announcing [of the] Antislavery
 Kentucky, March 24**

All Kentuckians who can afford to
 go, should be present at the un-
 nenching of the famous battleship bearing
 the name of "Old Kentucky." It
 will be a great and interesting event.
 Reduced rates at the Hygiea and
 Chamberlain hotels will be granted,
 and as it is now the gay season at
 these popular resorts a short stay will
 be very delightful. Tickets will be
 sold for trains leaving Louisville at
 10:30 a. m. and 6 p. m., March 24.
 The rate from Paducah to Old Pen-
 sylvania and return only \$18. Tickets good
 for seven days. Stop-overs granted
 at Richmond, Va. For particulars
 call on J. T. Donovan, C. A., I. C.
 & R., Louisville, Ky.

Pittsburg Coal.
 Just received a barge of No. 1
 Pittsburg coal, which we will deliver
 to consumers at 10 cents per bushel
 spot cash while unloading barge.
 ST. BENEDICT COAL CO.,
 423 Broadway, Telephone 8.

Stecher's Special Brew Pilsener
 now on draught at Detzel's old
 place,

Why will you smoke any old cigar
 when you can get the Linnwood for
 5c. Ask for it.

To Cure Consumption Forever,
 Take Chamberlain's Cough-Whooping Cough
 & C. C. C. Fall to rest, disengage throat muscles

IT'S CAPT. COLE NOW.

**Capt. Ben Howard Retires From
the Steamer Dick
Fowler.**

**Reported That He Will Accept a
Position On the Mux
Flower.**

The steamer Dick Fowler steamed out of port this morning with a new capt. Capt. Ben Howard, the veteran master who has been on the Ohio 45 years or more, made his last trip Saturday, as foretold in the Star. Capt. Mark Cole was in command as morning when the Dick stepped out for Calumet, with Mr. Arthur Cole as chief clerk. Pilot James Hart is succeeded by Pilot Cole.

Capt. Howard, it is reliably reported, will accept a position on the

Miss and Tennessee river, and will arrive at once. He has had a standstill offer with the Mayflower for quite while, at a larger salary, it is said, than he received from the Evansville, Indiana and Cairo Packet line.

Both Capt. Cole and Pilot Cole are experienced and popular river men, well known all along the Ohio.

A BIGGER LOSS.

the Golden Pond Colligation

Than Was nt First Reported.

The fire at Golden Pond, Trigg county, Friday, was larger than at the first reported, and the detailed losses are as follows:

Z. T. Haden, \$1,650, with \$1,000 insurance; J. H. Haden, dry goods, \$5,000, with \$3,000 insurance; Wilcox and Ryan, drugs, \$3,500, no insurance; Bugard & Co. general merchandise, \$6,000, with \$1,000 insurance; post office, \$300, with no insurance; M. E. Linton, blacksmith, \$150, with no insurance; Dr. Harrison's hotel, \$200, no insurance; N. N. Haden, hotel, \$2,000, no insurance; J. D. Gatlin, dry goods, \$5,000, no insurance. Total loss, \$28,800; total insurance, \$5,000.

When your gasoline stove needs cleaning or repairing, telephone Sam Givins, and he will do the work cheap and guarantee satisfaction. Telephone No. 20. Corner Sixth and Louisville. All work called for and delivered free of charge. (f

Queen Victoria has gone to the south of France, and her departure is accepted as an indication that the troubles over the Eastern situation have been for the present adjusted. The Marquis of Salisbury continues to be the scapegoat of conservative satisfaction. There is gossip to impending cabinet changes.

res cleaned and renovated. I guarantee to wash and iron the finest laundry without any tearing or shrinkage the goods. Give me a trial. Ring telephone No. 124 or send postal card to Mrs. O. T. ANDERSON, 221 Adams St.

Fifty shoes were exchanged at St. Jellico mine Saturday between miners and miners, who were trying to escape from the small-pox quarantine. There is only one case there, but much excitement prevails. Five cases were found at Middleborough Saturday.

Genuine Buck Brer, Cook's, on Gen. Bradley in all leading saloons.

Gov. Bradley will probably send tomorrow his veto of the bill regarding the Third appellate court. It is also said that he will probably veto the bill for the benefit of the widow of Judge Casswell Bennett, and, perhaps the Coebeck Bennett bill.

Envent Luis Polo de Beraabe, the

sent to President McKinley Tuesday. The presentation was without incident, the strict formality being observed.

How Is This?

We have six pair of the best cashmere channel shoes that we offer for \$2.50 per pair, regular price \$3.00. Will not sell but one pair to a person. See our window.

LESLIE & LADY, 133 Broadway. tf.

The Hon. John Henry Wilson has entered the fight for assistant district attorney backed by Senator DeLoe, who has withdrawn his endorsement of J. B. Witolt.

The bill to require the payment of taxes by distillers on bonded whiskey annually, instead of upon withdrawal from bond, has been killed in the Kentucky senate.

New City Steam Laundry uses no muddy water—clear distilled water. tf.

The Trimble bill, requiring vestibules on Louisville street cars, has been killed in committee, and the telephone bills have also been put to sleep.

A torpedo squadron will leave Spain for Cuba next Friday unless new plans are altered.

Stecher's Special fired Pilsener down draught at Detsch's old place.

Senator Deboe says that if Leslie Combs is nominated for pension agent he will oppose his confirmation.

Congressman Colson has applied to the government authorities for aid in eradicating the small-pox in the mountains.

An American firm has closed a contract to build 125 miles of railway to Mexico at a cost of \$2,500,000.

The house passed over the governor's veto the bill repealing the section of the anti-mob law requiring the employing of guards,

COLORED DEPARTMENT.

Little Willie May Christman is on sick list.

Mr. Thomas A. Fitzgerald, who has been on the sick list for some time, is able to be up and out again.

TODAY.

Mr. Hiram Smith, district deputy and master of the U. B. F.'s, arrived in the city this afternoon from Atkinsville. After meeting the wives and temples he will be given a reception tonight at the Odd Fellows' hall. All members and friends invited.

The Charitable Bible band held their anniversary on the 6th inst. A sermon was preached by Rev. S. Baker at the Seventh Street Baptist church, of which he is pastor. They are one year old and have grown wonderfully. They are very thankful to Rev. Baker for his most excellent and encouraging sermon and to the members of the church, for their support.

kindness in moving up the
 of D. D. Molas, pres.; Emma
 eds. Financial Sec.; Minnie
 Recording Sec., and Leon
 ghams, Treas.

THE LECTURES.

The executive committee of the
 Church Lecture Bureau have con-
 sidered their labors and presents to
 the churches the result of their work.
 The lectures and dates have been
 arranged, beginning at the Trimble
 Baptist Christian church next Friday
 evening. We might go on and say a
 deal, but to show, in a glance at
 the program will show, modesty forbids.
 The program is as follows:

Subject, T. D. Hibbs, at the Trimble
 Baptist Christian church, March 18.
 Subject: "The Art of Living."
 W. W. Merriweather, at the C. M.
 church, March 25. Subject:
 "The Twilight and the Dawn."
 E. G. W. Stoner, at Seventh
 Baptist church, April 1. Sub-
 ject: "Christian Ethics."
 E. S. H. Cotter, at the Presby-
 terian church, April 8. Subject:
 "Conspicuity."

Subject, J. W. Hawkins, at the A. M.
 church, April 15. Subject:
 "The Christian's Duty."

Subject, W. S. Baker, at the First
 Baptist church, April 22.
 Subject: "The Use of Time."

Subject, G. H. Burks, at the Wash-
 ington Street Baptist church, April
 29. Subject: "Race Confidence
 and Race Unity."

Subject, R. W. H. Nelson, at the A. M.
 church, May 6. Subject: "Im-

It should be taken that the best of
is observed at each of these
times. And of course they will
be delivered on the night of the dates
mentioned.

Miss Lena Duly, of 1005 North
Fifth street, is on the sick list.

Miss Georgia Burks, who has been
on the sick list for some time, is able
to get up and out again, to the de-
light of her many friends.

died at Louisville last Saturday,
 expected in the city this after-
 noon. The little five months' old son
 of Mr. Louis Walker, died last night
 at 11 o'clock, after a long spell
 of sickness.

The Sunday school concert which
 is to have been given last Saturday
 night will be given tonight at the C.
 F. church. Admission 10 cents.

The following on the situation at
 Tuskegee is from the Indianapolis
 Freeman: It will not be amiss to
 read the reading world of the tre-
 mendous influence this institution has
 on the country as a factor in settle-
 ment of the race problem. All roads
 lead to Rome, was a universal saying
 some time. It may be said that all
 are turned towards Tuskegee.
 So much, perhaps, because the
 city is so largely expected from this
 place, but because of the promise.
 They, more. Curiosity, doubt,
 and desire doubtless fill those
 whose eyes are centered on Tuske-
 gee. To some extent the tenets of

[illegible]

GREIF & CHRISTY
First-class...
**Horseshoeing and
Blacksmithing**
The only place in the city equipped
with the necessary tools to do first-
class carriage and wagon work.
Building new work a specialty.
319 COURT STREET 319
Established 1855. Incorporated 1883.
Johnson
Foundry and Machine
Company

**Steam Engines, Boilers
House Fronts, Mill Machinery**

and Tobacco Screws,
Brass and Iron Fittings,
Castings of all kinds.

PADUCAH, KY.

The Ardmore,

Thirteenth street, between
Pennsylvania avenue and F street
Northwest,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

European, \$1.00 and up
American, \$1.50 to 2.50

First-class family hotel. No liquors.
convenient to care and places of inter-
est. Most central location, and pleas-
ant home for tourists and sightseers
the city. T. M. HALL, Prop.

THOS. E. MOSS
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

116 South Fourth Street.

Boarders Wanted

408 COURT STREET.

Good Rooms, Good Table, Best of
Attention.

J. W. Moore,
DEALER IN
Maple and Fancy Groceries,
Canned Goods of All Kinds.

free delivery to all parts of the city,
Cor. 7th and Adams.

CITIZENS' SAVINGS BANK,

226 Broadway, Paducah, Ky.

Capital and Surplus, \$120,000.00

Open from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. On Sat-
urday nights from 7 to 8.

Interest Paid on Time Deposits


OFFICERS.

J. A. RUDY	President
F. PAXTON	Cashier
RUDY	Asst. Cashier

DIRECTORS.

M. FISHER, GEO. C. WALLACE.
KAMLEIBER, W. F. PAXTON,
EO. O. HART, E. FARLEY,
R. RUDY.

REMOVED!



**STEAM
LAUNDRY**

To No. 120 North Fourth St.

**New Machinery
Good Work**

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

J. W. YOUNG & SON,
TELEPHONE 200.

ST. JAMES HOTEL
—ST. LOUIS.—

Rates, \$2.00 Per Day.
Room and Breakfast, \$1.00.
European Plan, \$1.00 Per Day.
GOOD ROOMS. GOOD SERVICE. GOOD MEALS.
When you visit St. Louis stop at
ST. JAMES HOTEL
Broadway and Walnut
cars direct to Hotel.

BROADWAY HOUSE.
Best-hotel in the city.
Best accommodations, cleanest rooms.
Meals 25c—\$1.00 PER DAY.
Corner Broadway and Eighth street
NATCHEL, KY.
J. J. MEADOWS, Prop.

Rose & Paxton.

Give you All Kinds of

**RE
FE and
ORNADO**

Insurance

Over Citizen's Saving Bank.

Wall Paper ^N_A 

Window Shades.

THE LATEST PATTERNS.

PROMPT ATTENTION GIVEN TO ALL ORDERS.

W. S. GREIF

Telephone No. 7

132 S. Third Street.

SCIENTIFIC AND FIRST-CLASS

BLACKSMITHING

◁ **REPAIRING** ▷

HORSESHOEING

All work guaranteed.

A. W. GREIF,

Court Street bet. 2d and 3d.

Everything in Its

Season

IS THE RECORD

WE MAKE.

⊖ OUR stock of staple and fancy groceries is complete and up-to-date. Splendid line of canned goods. Our meat market is uneexcelled, having everything in the line of fresh and salt meats.

Telephone 118.
r. 6th and Trimble.

P. F. LALLY.

Miss Mary B. E. Greif & Co
GENERAL INSURANCE
AGENTS.
 Telephone 174. **PADUCAH, KY**

ROBERT'S BEER

rapidly becoming the favorite with the people of this city. It leads all others, for the reason that it is

ABSOLUTELY PURE

HANDLED IN BOTTLES AND BY THE KEG BY

PADUCAH BOTTLING CO.

J. Bergdoll, Proprietor. Tenth and Madison streets
Telephone 101. Orders filled until 11 p.m.
Soda Pop, Seltzer Water and all kinds of Temperance Drinks.

CUT


IT IN TWO

Wall Paper, per roll 3½
 Fifty cent Window Shades for 30 c

and-made shades in any size. Picture frames made to order. Fine
 paper hanging done in any part of the county by

N. S. NORTH FOURTH STREET
C. C. LEE
 N. S. NORTH FOURTH STREET

Look for the Big Sign when you get on Fourth street.



WHAT?
Ball Bearing
Typewriter
YES

The '98 model of the New Densmore is ball bearing in all. See sample with
O. B. STARKS,
 Agent for Densmore, Yost and Caligraph
 typewriters. Supplies for all standard
 machines.

HENRY MAMMEN, Jr.
BOOK BINDER

A thoroughly equipped Book-making plant.
 You need send nothing out of town.

Patent Flat-Opening Books BROADWAY

The Most Gigantic Sale of Muslin Underwear ...

Three Big Lots At Cut Prices

Lot 1—Perfect fitting embroidered corset covers, children's waists and drawers. Your choice of these garments, 3c.

Lot 2—Ladies' full-sized night dresses, beautiful styles in fine embroidered corset covers, ladies' muslin and cambric drawers at the ridiculous price of 25c.

Lot 3—Novelties in ladies' full-sized embroidered night gowns, ladies' wide ruffled and tucked skirts, ladies' embroidered umbrella drawers and extra wide Lola Fuller drawers. Your choice of these garments, 39c.

An endless variety of silk and satin waists, all the newest shades, at 25c.

215 BROADWAY... THE BAZAAR ...215 BROADWAY
DON'T MISTAKE THE PLACE

Special Sale

—FOR—

ONE WEEK.

Our special cut price sale of Book Cases and Smyrna Rugs will continue until March 17th as we still have several in stock that must be sold to make room for our spring stock.

We will also add to our special cut price sale (until the 17th) Sideboards and Center Tables.

All the above-mentioned goods will be sold for LESS than actual cost, as we have to make room.

Solid Oak Sideboards, from \$7.50 to \$20

Solid Oak and Imitation Mahogany Center Tables, from 53c to \$3.50.

Call and see our line of Baby Carriages before you buy elsewhere.

Gardner Bros. & Co.
209-205 South Third Street.
Telephone 396.

Leading Upholsterers of the city.

MORTON'S OPERA HOUSE
Fletcher Terrell, Manager

OM WEEK, COMMENCING
14 MONDAY, MARCH 14
MURRAY COMEDY COMPANY
Direction Charles Lamb, J. K. Smith, Manager.

WITH
Vivian Pate, Harry Stanley, Mita Gennel, Ferguson Bros., Lettie Callum, Frank Robinson, Leora Lane, Frank Whitman, Mrs. Ferguson, W. T. Nelson, Gerald Hosmer, Marie Anderson, And a host of others well known.

Novel Specialties Will Be Introduced Between Acts.

MONDAY NIGHT, MARCH 14.

THE FATAL ERROR!

Ladies accompanied by a person holding a paid-up ticket admitted free Sunday night.

Prices, 10c and 25c. Seats on sale Saturday morning at VanCulin's book store.

Farmers' Restaurant... 212 S. Second St.

The best meal in town for the money...

Open day and night Short Orders

and latest styles, at the cost of making alone, \$2.98.
Don't fail to see our elegant assortment of silk, satin and woolen dress skirts and suits before making your selection.

Millinery Department

Our new pattern hats are being received daily. Don't fail to see them before making your selection for Easter.

A new lot of pretty stylish sailboats, all colors, 25c.
We carry the most extensive line of hair goods in the city, and can not fail to suit you. A nice new lot of real hair switches just received at 75c and \$1.00.

Also a new lot of colored switches at 25c.

Home Trade

Is good in theory, and doubly so when you save money by trading at home. We guarantee to save you the expressage on photographic goods. We sell everything pertaining to photography. Our prices are guaranteed as low as you pay anywhere, and our stock as complete. If you haven't a camera it will pay you to inspect our line and compare prices. We give instruction free. Remember we handle the "Vive" and all the leading brands.

McPHERSON'S DRUG STORE

LOCAL MENTION.

Two Accessions.
There were two accessions to the Cumberland Presbyterian church yesterday.

Try Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener at Detzel's old place, corner 4th and Broadway.

Get your gasoline stove ready for summer use. Sam Givens will repair it cheap. Corner Sixth and Trimble streets.

Notice to Paper Hangers.
All paper hangers are requested to meet at the city hall next Tuesday night with the painters.

Try Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener at Detzel's old place, corner 4th and Broadway.

Dr. Edwards, Ear, Eye, Nose and Throat Specialist, Paducah, Ky.

Carried to Kuttawa.

The remains of the late Mrs. Mary Mercer, who died Saturday were today carried to Kuttawa for interment.

The remains of the late Mrs. Fly, who died in Conyersville, Tenn., were buried yesterday at Oak Grove.

Gaining in popularity every day, the Linwood cigar. We want you for a patron. Try it.

Wood.

Telephone No. 29 for a nice two horse load delivered promptly. Price, \$1 cash. Oliver River Spoke and Rim Co., E. E. Bell.

Try Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener at Detzel's old place, corner 4th and Broadway.

Metropolis People Wed.
Mr. John E. Martin and Miss Mattie Stockton, of East Metropolis, were married by Justice Thomas Liggett, Saturday.

Genuine Bock Beer, Cook's, on draught in all leading saloons.

Wheels For Sale.
Ladies, Gents and Combination Tandem, second hand, almost new, on easy payments. 103 North Fifth street.

Try Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener at Detzel's old place, corner 4th and Broadway.

Attention Knights.
Paducah Lodge No. 26, Knights of Pythias holds regular convention tonight. Work in ranks of Esquire and Knight.

J. P. DeLong, K. R. S. L. S. GRAVES, C. C.

Sam Givens has opened a repair shop at the corner of Sixth and Trimble streets, where he does all kinds of repair work on gas and gasoline stoves.

An Important Addition
to the list of the world's valuable medicines is Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Harmless in its nature, yet almost infallible in its action, it is undoubtedly the most efficacious means known today of curing coughs, colds and kindred diseases. Good druggists sell it at 25c on a guarantee.

Awarded
Highest Honors—World's Fair, Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.

DR.

PRICE'S

CREAM

BAKING

POWDER

A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder.

40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

PERSONALS.

Miss Letha Puryear is on the sick list.

Miss Clara Ittader has returned from New York.

Mr. O. L. Gregory spent yesterday in Dawson.

R. E. Cooper, of Hopkinsville, is at the Palmer.

W. A. McEain, of Metropolis, is at the Palmer.

Thomas Edwards, of Clarksville, is at the Palmer.

C. M. Boshear, of Dawson, is at the New Richmond.

Attorney Will Farley is out again after his recent illness.

Mrs. Chas. Williamson and children are visiting relatives here.

Miss Tessie Blum has returned to Nashville, after a visit to relatives.

Messrs. Fletcher and A. S. Terrell have returned from their eastern trip.

Messrs. W. A. Usher and J. L. Stunston, of Mayfield, were in the city today.

Miss Kittle St. John, of Stoneport, Ill., is a guest of Mrs. M. G. Sale, her aunt.

Mrs. Richard Woolfolk and son have gone to Birmingham, Ala., to join Mr. Woolfolk.

Miss Carrie Hutchinson, of Memphis, left yesterday for home, after a visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Levy, after a visit to relatives, left today for their home in Louisville.

Mr. Len Rouse, who has been away from Paducah for his health for over a year, will return in two or three weeks.

Mr. John Lander, of Calvert City, who had been at Clarksville, Tenn., since Christmas, passed through the city today en route home.

Popular Clerk Louis L. Behout, of the St. Nicholas, was called to Sheridan yesterday by a telegram announcing the illness of his father, Mr. A. J. Behout.

STATE Y. M. C. A. CONTEST.

Three Well Known Paducah Athletes to Enter the Contest.

Three well known Paducah athletes will participate in a state athletic contest of the Young Men's Christian Association at Louisville on April 23.

These are: Messrs. Jeff D. Herndon, Peter Puryear and Dr. Horace Rivers. The contest will be participated in by members from every association in the state.

There are five events, namely: High jump; pole vault; quarter mile race; 100 yard dash, and shot put. The three young men chosen to represent the Paducah association in the contest are the best athletes in the city, and will no doubt do themselves credit. They will, under the rules, be compelled to enter each one of the five events.

TONIGHT.

The Murray Comedy Company Will Open at Merion's.

The Murray Comedy company will open at Merion's opera house tonight presenting the bright comedy, "The Fatal Error." The company is one of the strongest traveling playing at popular prices. Ladies will be admitted free tonight. Seats can be secured at VanCulin's.

Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener now on draught at Detzel's old place.

The T. P. A. Boys.

The local post of the Travelers' Protective Association will hold its annual election of officers a month from next Wednesday, and some little interest is now being taken in it. The Louisville post yesterday elected its officers and will make an effort to secure the next state convention.

Try Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener at Detzel's old place, corner 4th and Broadway.

Not Wanted Here.

A man named Powers is under arrest at Evansville, suspected of being wanted here for the burglary of Maud Bell's house, but Marshal Collins says he is not wanted.

Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener now on draught at Detzel's old place.

Press Association Pamphlets.

The Kentucky Press association pamphlets of minutes of last year's session have been received by all the press boys, and preparations are now being made for the next meeting, which will be to the sea coast.

Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener now on draught at Detzel's old place.

Was Somewhat Drunk.

Chas. Ashley, a man who was very drunk, was locked up just before noon today, but it took three policemen to do it. He will be given a hearing tomorrow.

New Fish Depot.

T. D. Harris keeps on hand daily all kinds of fresh fish, such as Red Snapper, Salmon, Smelts and all kinds of game fish. Phone 185. Free delivery. 124 South Second street.

A Heavy Rainfall.

The rainfall Saturday was 2.10 inches, and Sunday was 0.54 for Paducah and vicinity. This was the heaviest rainfall noted for some time for this locality.

Incandescent Lamp Globes suitable for system for sale at McPherson's Drug store.

New Custom House Janitor.

Mr. Bunderson, the newly appointed janitor for the custom house, will take his position tomorrow, to succeed H. B. Davis, colored.

Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener now on draught at Detzel's old place.

HE STOLE A SKIFF.

A Fugitive From Henry County, Tenn., Caught Here Today—Stole R. E. Martin's Skiff.

John Hart, a Vagrant Moulder, Goes to Jail For Petty Larceny—Henry Bradshaw Threw up His Hands.

Oscar Davidson, alias A. S. Campbell, alias Hal Cooper, was arrested at the wharfboat this morning by Officer Jones on a charge of stealing a skiff belonging to R. E. Martin, of Henry county, Tenn. Mr. Martin arrived last night from Gilbertsville, Marshall county, where he found his skiff. It had been left there by Davidson, who gave instructions to send it back to Mr. Martin by first boat.

Mr. Martin came on to Paducah with the man in whose charge the skiff had been left, and soon found him. The owner telegraphed Marshal Collins Saturday to arrest the fugitive if he came here.

A warrant was sworn out against this man of many aliases, and he made no defense. Mr. Martin testified that the chain securing his skiff was cut, and the boat, valued at \$21, stolen. About a mile and a half further down the river a store was broken into and robbed. The prisoner said his real name was Davidson, and that he started to Illinois to work, and had no way to come except by borrowing the skiff. He took it, intending to return it, and was willing to return to Tennessee without a requisition.

Davidson is suspected not only of having broken into the store below Mr. Martin's home, but is said to be a fugitive from Dover, where he was incarcerated in jail on a charge of stealing some money, a watch, etc.

Davidson, at the advice of a local lawyer, afterwards changed his mind about going back to Tennessee without a requisition and will likely this afternoon be carried to Gilbertsville to be tried for stealing the skiff.

Henry Bradshaw, a Ballard county negro, was a greatly surprised individual yesterday afternoon when Officer Hoyer drove up to him in a wagon, dropped the lap robe which concealed his brass and bane, and threw a pistol up in the astonished darkey's face. The latter, who was sitting on a fence beyond the Perkins' creek bridge on the Cairo road, threw up his hands and fell backward.

Len Calloun, a colored boy, was in the back of the wagon, while Sam Holland, who had volunteered the use of the vehicle, drove. Calloun claimed Bradshaw beat him over the head three times with a poker. Bradshaw never recovered from the fright occasioned by the sudden display of the officer's pistol. Calloun explained today that he and Bradshaw were joking when Bradshaw got mad and struck him in the head. The defendant made no denial, and was fined \$20 and costs.

The three Greer boys, colored, and Claude Pruitt, white, who were charged with destroying sewer pipes, were today discharged by Judge Sanders, owing to a lack of evidence.

John Hart, a moulder from St. Louis, was charged with petty larceny. Peter Arnold, who boards at the Tennessee house, on East Court street, was awakened Saturday night by a man who got into bed with him. The man was Hart, who said he was looking for work and was out of money.

The next morning Hart left and Arnold mislaid \$1.40, his spectacles and a plug of tobacco. Some of the money, the spectacles and the tobacco were found on Hart, who claimed he worked for the money and found the other articles. He was held to answer in the sum of \$200 and went to jail.

The case of P. M. Hunley, charged with doing an insurance business without license, was continued until Saturday.

Chas. Grogan and Robt. Willite, South Siders, were charged with carrying a light. The difficulty occurred near the N. C. & St. L. depot over a "hilly goat." They were fined \$2 and costs each.

Emma Force, charged with being drunk, was fined \$1 and costs.

Fish.
Fresh and salt water fish received daily. Salmon, red snapper, cod, smelts, Spanish mackerel, trout, etc. S. H. CLARK, 2411mo 125 S. Second St.

Genuine Bock Beer, Cook's, on draught in all leading saloons.

We want you for a customer.

New City Steam Laundry.

Telephone 121 for best laundry in Paducah.

DECORATOR'S UNION.

Meeting Will Be Held Tomorrow Night to Organize One.

The effort on foot to organize unions of painters and paper hangers, which will probably materialize tomorrow night at a meeting called for the purpose at the city hall, speaks well for the prosperity of Paducah.

In speaking of the movement a prominent agitator said today: "You see it had been some time since we had enough work here to necessitate a union, but this year there is so much work to be done, and promised, that we have decided to revive the union."

Odd Fellows Notice.
Ingleside Lodge No. 195, meets tonight at 7:30 in special session to confer the Initiatory degree. All Odd Fellows welcome.

J. H. MAXWELL, N. G. FRED HEILBRON, Sec.

Telephone 121 for best laundry in Paducah.

Grand Woolen Exhibit

An unequalled opportunity to select woolsens in the piece.

Thursday and Friday

March 17th and 18th

Every late novelty of American and European mills is included in this display.

An EXPERT CUTTER and Designer for Strauss Bros. will be on hand to take Scientific measures of all who desire Fine Fitting clothes made to order at very low prices.

FINE TAILORING—Suits to order, \$17.75 up. Pants to order \$3 up. Perfect fit guaranteed.

Call and have yourself scientifically measured even if not ready to order now.

A Souvenir Free.

K. C. ROSE & SON,

No. 329 South Third Street.

MUNICIPAL MATTERS.

The Mayor And Councilman Fowler Hear From Congressman Wheeler About the Rivers And Harbor

Committee—An Unknown Philanthropist Wants Some Legislation For the Young Lady Clerks of Paducah.

Mayor Lang and Councilman Joe Fowler today received a letter from Congressman Charles K. Wheeler, of this district, stating that the on-going invitation from the council to the committee on rivers and harbors, had been received. The members had received individual invitations, as well.

As soon as he received the invitation, he asked for a hearing from the committee, and at once formally presented the invitation.

The members seemed pleased at the courtesy, and have assured our congressman that should foreign complications not arise, they will pay Paducah a visit in the near future.

Congressman Wheeler expresses gratification that the invitation was tendered in an official form, and signified a belief that the great committee will certainly visit Paducah unless a war with Spain should prevent its contemplated tour.

Today Mayor Lang received a communication from some anonymous philanthropist who feels an untold commiseration for the poor lady clerks. He says that while the council is legislating on other matters, it ought to legislate a little for the benefit of the poor suffering creatures who are employed in stores and compelled to stand on their feet for hours at a time without an intermission.

He then offers an ordinance which presents that no female clerks shall be required to work for longer than eight hours a day, and stools shall be furnished for them by the management.

The mayor was greatly amused at the would-be benefactor's letter, although the intention of the writer is good.

A DAYLIGHT HANGING.

Will Tutt, the Brutal Mayfield Wife Murderer, Must Expiate His Crime on the Gallows.

The Jury Had the Case for Three Days—Day of Execution Not Fixed.

A verdict was this morning reached by the jury in the case against Will Tutt, colored, at Mayfield, charged with killing his wife last summer.

The jury had the case for three days and nights, and the verdict was no surprise, owing to the atrocity of the crime.

Tutt shot his wife three times and killed her last summer because she wanted to go to Columbus, Ky., to attend a game of baseball. She died almost instantly. He has narrowly escaped lynching several times, the last being when Dick Allen was hanged at Mayfield for burglary a few weeks ago. It was then only by persuasion that the mob was induced to spare him. Had the verdict been anything except the death penalty the probabilities are he would have been lynched.

The day of Tutt's execution will be set when he is sentenced.

DECORATOR'S UNION.

Meeting Will Be Held Tomorrow Night to Organize One.

The effort on foot to organize unions of painters and paper hangers, which will probably materialize tomorrow night at a meeting called for the purpose at the city hall, speaks well for the prosperity of Paducah.

In speaking of the movement a prominent agitator said today: "You see it had been some time since we had enough work here to necessitate a union, but this year there is so much work to be done, and promised, that we have decided to revive the union."

Odd Fellows Notice.

Ingleside Lodge No. 195, meets tonight at 7:30 in special session to confer the Initiatory degree. All Odd Fellows welcome.

J. H. MAXWELL, N. G. FRED HEILBRON, Sec.

Telephone 121 for best laundry in Paducah.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Three Couples Licensed to Marry Since Saturday.

J. J. Satter, aged 31, and Miss Florence Lee, aged 21, of the county, were married yesterday.

Mr. J. L. Sloan, aged 28, and Miss Annie Rogers, aged 22, were married today. They are both from the county.

Mr. J. W. Bowland and Miss Olivia Estell Kennedy, aged 25 and 22 respectively, were licensed to marry today. The wedding will take place Wednesday.

Esther Lodge.

Esther Lodge No. 1162, Knights and Ladies of Honor, meets Tuesday night, March 15. All members are requested to be present.

J. G. SWITZER, Rec. Sec.

BONDS' DRUG STORE

THIRD AND COURT

Keeps the Best Brands of Cigars and Tobacco

Telephone 392

HIGH GRADE BICYCLES

THE BIG FOUR

Orient, Waverly, Hamilton, Kenwood

LADIES' AND GENTS' WHEELS

\$25.00 TO \$75.00

We are agents for best juvenile wheels made. First-class repair shop. Wheels for rent.

H. E. CRAFT & SON

431 Jefferson Street.

AGENT HUNTSEY'S

UNERRING AIM.

He Is Compelled to Shoot Another Man in Leland, Miss.

Supposed to Be Trouble With a Gang of Train Wreckers.

Mr. C. W. Huntley, formerly special agent of the Illinois Central here, and who has scores of friends here, today telegraphed Mr. Jeff J. Read, his friend here, as follows: "Unavoidable circumstances caused me to shoot H. C. Farley last night in Leland, Miss. Released on my own recognizance. Everything all O. K.

The Most Gigantic Sale of Muslin Underwear...

Three Big Lots At Cut Prices

Lot 1—Perfect fitting embroidered corset covers, children's waists and drawers. Your choice of these garments, 8c.

Lot 2—Ladies' full-sized night dresses, beautiful styles in fine embroidered corset covers, ladies' muslin and cambric drawers at the ridiculous price of 25c.

Lot 3—Novelties in ladies' full-sized embroidered night gowns, ladies' wide ruffled and tucked skirts, ladies' embroidered umbrellas, drawers and extra wide Lola Fuller drawers. Your choice of these garments, 39c.

An endless variety of silk and satin waists, all the newest shades

215 BROADWAY... THE BAZAAR ...215 BROADWAY
DON'T MISTAKE THE PLACE

Special Sale

—FOR—

ONE WEEK.

Our special cut price sale of Book Cases and Smyrna Rugs will continue until March 17th as we still have several in stock that must be sold to make room for our spring stock.

We will also add to our special cut price sale (until the 17th) Sideboards and Center Tables.

All the above-mentioned goods will be sold for LESS than actual cost, as we have to make room.

Solid Oak Sideboards, from \$7.50 to \$20

Solid Oak and Imitation Mahogany Center Tables, from \$3c to \$3.50.

Call and see our line of Baby Carriages before you buy elsewhere.

Gardner Bros. & Co.
203-205 South Third Street.
Telephone 396.

Leading Upholsterers of the city.

MORTON'S OPERA HOUSE
Fletcher Terrell, Manager.

ONE WEEK, COMMENCING

14 MONDAY, MARCH 14

MURRAY COMEDY COMPANY
Direction Charles Lamb.
J. K. Smith, Manager.

WITH

Vivian Pate, Harry Stanley,
Mina Gennel, Ferguson Bros.,
Lettie Colton, Frank Robinson,
Leola Lane, Franklin Whitman,
Mrs. Ferguson, W. T. Nelson,
Gerald Hosmer, Marie Anderson,
And a host of others well known.

Novel Specialties Will Be Introduced Between Acts.

MONDAY NIGHT, MARCH 14,

THE FATAL ERROR!

Ladies accompanied by a person holding a paid 50-cent ticket admitted free Monday night.

Prices, 50c and 30c. Seats on sale Saturday morning at Van Allen's book store.

Farmers' Restaurant... 212 S. Second St.

The best meal in town for the money...

Open day and night. Short Orders.

Ever held in the city, by the bargain givers of Paducah. Two thousand pieces of muslin underwear at less than cost of sewing alone.

and latest styles, at the cost of making alone, \$2.08.
Don't fail to see our elegant assortment of silk, satin and woolen dress skirts and suits before making your selection.

Millinery Department

Our new pattern hats are being received daily. Don't fail to see them before making your selection for Easter.

A new lot of pretty stylish sailers, all colors, 25c.

We carry the most extensive line of hair goods in the city, and can not fail to suit you. A nice new lot of real hair switches just received at 75c and \$1.00.

Also a new lot of colored switches at 25c.

Home Trade

Is good in theory, and doubly so when you save money by trading at home. We guarantee to save you the expressage on photographic goods. We sell everything pertaining to photography. Our prices are guaranteed as low as you pay anywhere, and our stock is complete. If you haven't a camera it will pay you to inspect our line and compare prices. We give instruction free. Remember we handle the "Vive" and all the leading brands.

McPHERSON'S DRUG STORE

LOCAL MENTION.

Two Accessions.
There were two accessions to the Cumberland Presbyterian church yesterday.

Try Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener at Detzel's old place, corner 4th and Broadway.

Get your gasoline stove ready for summer use. Sam Givens will repair it cheap. Corner Sixth and Trimble streets.

Notice to Paper Hangers.
All paper hangers are requested to meet at the city hall next Tuesday night with the painters.

Try Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener at Detzel's old place, corner 4th and Broadway.

Dr. Edwards, Ear, Eye, Nose and Throat Specialist, Paducah, Ky.

Carried to Kuttawa.

The remains of the late Mrs. Mary Mercer, who died Saturday were today carried to Kuttawa for interment.

The remains of the late Mrs. Fly, who died in Conyersville, Tenn., were buried yesterday at Oak Grove.

Gaining in popular favor every day, the Lianwood cigar. We want you for a patron. Try it.

Wood.
Telephone No. 29 for a nice two horse load delivered promptly. Price, \$1 cash. Ohio River Spoke and Rim Co., E. E. Bell.

Try Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener at Detzel's old place, corner 4th and Broadway.

Metropolis People Wed.

Mr. John E. Martin and Miss Mattie Stockton, of East Metropolis, were married by Justice Thomas Liggett, Saturday.

Genuine Bock Beer, Cook's, on draught in all leading saloons.

Wheels For Sale.

Ladies, Gents and Combination Tandem, second hand, almost new, on easy payments. 103 North Fifth street.

Try Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener at Detzel's old place, corner 4th and Broadway.

Attention Knights.
Paducah Lodge No. 26, Knights of Pythias holds regular convention tonight. Work in ranks of Esquire and Knight.

J. P. DeLoe, K. R. S. L. S. GLEAVES, C. C.

Sam Givens has opened a repair shop at the corner of Sixth and Trimble streets, where he does all kinds of repair work on gas and gasoline stoves.

An Important Addition to the list of the world's valuable medicines is Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Harmless in its nature, yet almost infallible in its action, it is undoubtedly the most efficacious means known today of curing coughs, colds and kindred diseases. Good druggists sell it at 25c on a guarantee.

Awarded

Highest Honors—World's Fair, Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.

DR.

PRICE'S

CREAM

BAKING

POWDER

A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder.

40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

PERSONALS.

Miss Letha Puryear is on the sick list.

Miss Clara Radder has returned from New York.

Mr. O. L. Gregory spent yesterday in Dawson.

R. E. Cooper, of Hopkinsville, is at the Palmer.

W. A. McEln, of Metropolis, is at the Palmer.

Thomas Edwards, of Clarksville, is at the Palmer.

C. M. Boshart, of Dawson, is at the New Richmond.

Attorney Will Farley is out again after his recent illness.

Mrs. Chas. Williamson and children are visiting relatives here.

Miss Tessie Blum has returned to Nashville, after a visit to relatives.

Messrs. Fletcher and A. S. Terrell have returned from their eastern trip.

Messrs. W. A. Usher and J. L. Suuston, of Mayfield, were in the city today.

Miss Kittie St. John, of Stoneport, Ill., is a guest of Mrs. M. G. Sale, her aunt.

Mrs. Richard Woolfolk and son have gone to Birmingham, Ala., to join Mr. Woolfolk.

Miss Carrie Hutchinson, of Memphis, left yesterday for home, after a visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Levy, after a visit to relatives, left today for their home in Louisville.

Mr. Len Rouse, who has been away from Paducah for his health for over a year, will return in two or three weeks.

Mr. John Lauder, of Calvert City, who had been at Clarksville, Tenn., since Christmas, passed through the city today en route home.

Popular Clerk Louis L. Bebout, of the St. Nicholas, was called to Sheridan yesterday by a telegram announcing the illness of his father, Mr. A. J. Bebout.

STATE Y. M. C. A. CONTEST.

Three Well Known Paducah Athletes to Enter the Contest.

Three well known Paducah athletes will participate in a state athletic contest of the Young Men's Christian Association at Louisville on April 29.

These are: Messrs. Jeff D. Herndon, Peter Puryear and Dr. Horace Rivers. The contest will be participated in by members from every association in the state.

There are five events, namely: High jump; pole vault; quarter mile potato race; 100 yard dash, and shot put. The three young men chosen to represent the Paducah association in the contest are the best athletes in the city, and will no doubt do themselves credit. They will, under the rules, be compelled to enter each one of the five events.

TONIGHT.

The Murray Comedy Company Will Open at Morton's.

The Murray Comedy company will open at Morton's opera house tonight presenting the bright comedy, "The Fatal Error." The company is one of the strongest traveling playing at popular prices. Ladies will be admitted free tonight. Seats can be secured at VanCulin's.

Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener now on draught at Detzel's old place.

The T. P. A. Boys.

The local post of the Travelers' Protective Association will hold its annual election of officers a month from next Wednesday, and some little interest is now being taken in it. The Louisville post yesterday elected its officers and will make an effort to secure the next state convention.

Try Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener at Detzel's old place, corner 4th and Broadway.

Not Wanted Here.

A man named Powers is under arrest at Evansville, suspected of being wanted here for the burglary of Maud Bell's house, but Marshal Collins says he is not wanted.

Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener now on draught at Detzel's old place.

Press Association Pamphlets.

The Kentucky Press association pamphlets of minutes of last year's session have been received by all the press boys, and preparations are now being made for the next meeting, which will be to the sea coast.

Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener now on draught at Detzel's old place.

Was Somewhat Drunk.

Chas. Ashley, a man who was very drunk, was locked up just before noon today, but it took three policemen to do it. He will be given a hearing tomorrow.

New Fish Depot.

T. D. Harris keeps on hand daily all kinds of fresh fish, such as Red Snapper, Salmon, Smelts and all kinds of game fish. Phone 185. Free delivery. 124 South Second street.

A Heavy Rainfall.

The rainfall Saturday was 2.10 inches, and Sunday was 0.54 for Paducah and vicinity. This was the heaviest rainfall noted for some time for this locality.

Incandescent lamp globes suitable for system for sale at McPherson's Drug store.

New Custom House Janitor.

Mr. Bunderson, the newly appointed janitor for the custom house, will take his position tomorrow, to succeed H. B. Davis, colored.

Stecher's Special Brew Pillsener now on draught at Detzel's old place.

HE STOLE A SKIFF.

A Fugitive From Henry County, Tenn., Caught Here Today—Stole R. E. Martin's Skiff.

John Hart, a Vagrant Moulder, Goes to Jail For Petty Larceny—Henry Bradshaw Threw up His Hands.

Oscar Davidson, alias A. S. Campbell, alias Hal Cooper, was arrested at the wharfboat this morning by Officer Jones on a charge of stealing a skiff belonging to R. E. Martin, of Henry County, Tenn.

Martin arrived last night from Gilbertville, Marshall county, where he found his skiff. It had been left there by Davidson, who gave instructions to send it back to Mr. Martin by first boat.

Mr. Martin came on to Paducah with the man in whose charge the skiff had been left, and soon found him. The owner telegraphed Marshal Collins Saturday to arrest the fugitive if he came here.

A warrant was sworn out against this man of many aliases, and he made no defense. Mr. Martin testified that the chain securing his skiff was cut, and the boat valued at \$21, stolen. About a mile and a half further down the river a store was broken into and robbed. The prisoner said his real name was Davidson, and that he started to Illinois to work, and had no way to come except by borrowing the skiff. He took it, intending to return it, and was willing to return to Tennessee without a requisition.

Davidson is suspected not only of having broken into the store below Mr. Martin's home, but is said to be a fugitive from Dover, where he was incarcerated in jail on a charge of stealing some money, a watch, etc.

Davidson, at the advice of a local lawyer, afterwards changed his mind about going back to Tennessee without a requisition and will likely this afternoon be carried to Gilbertville to be tried for stealing the skiff.

Henry Bradshaw, a Ballard county negro, was a greatly surprised individual yesterday afternoon when Officer Hoyer drove up to him in a wagon, dropped the lap robe which concealed his brass and blue, and threw a pistol up in the astonished darkey's face. The latter, who was sitting on a fence beyond the Perkins' creek bridge on the Cairo road, threw up his hands and fell backward.

Lea Calloun, a colored boy, was in the back of the wagon, while Sam Holland, who had volunteered the use of the vehicle, drove. Calloun claimed Bradshaw beat him over the head three times with a poker. Bradshaw never recovered from the fright occasioned by the sudden display of the officer's pistol. Calloun explained today that he and Bradshaw were joking when Bradshaw got mad and struck him in the head. The defendant made no denial, and was fined \$20 and costs.

The three Greer boys, colored, and Claude Pruett, white, who were charged with destroying sewer pipes, were today discharged by Judge Sanders, owing to a lack of evidence.

John Hart, a moulder from St. Louis, was charged with petty larceny. Peter Arnold, who boards at the Tennessee house, on East Court street, was awakened Saturday night by a man who got into bed with him. The man was Hart, who said he was looking for work and was out of money.

On the next morning Hart left and Arnold missed \$1.40, his spectacles and a plug of tobacco.

Some of the money, the spectacles and the tobacco were found on Hart, who claimed he worked for the money and found the other articles. He was held to answer in the sum of \$200 and went to jail.

The case of P. M. Hunley, charged with doing an insurance business without license, was continued until Saturday.

Chas. Grogan and Robt. Wilbitt, South Siders, were charged with engaging in a fight. The difficulty occurred near the N. C. & St. L. depot over a "billy goat." They were fined \$2 and costs each.

Emma Force, charged with being drunk, was fined \$1 and costs.

Fish.
Fresh and salt water fish received daily. Salmon, red snapper, cod, smelts, Spanish mackerel, trout, etc. S. H. CLARK, 2411mo 125 S. Second St.

Genuine Bock Beer, Cook's, on draught in all leading saloons.

We want you for a customer. NEW CITY STEAM LAUNDRY.

Grand Woolen Exhibit
An unequalled opportunity to select wools in the piece.

Thursday and Friday March 17th and 18th

Every late novelty of American and European mills is included in this display.

An EXPERT CUTTER and Designer for Strauss Bros. will be on hand to take Scientific measures of all who desire Fine Fitting clothes made to order at very low prices.

FINE TAILORING—Suits to order, \$11.75 up. Pants to order \$3 up. Perfect fit guaranteed.

Call and have yourself scientifically measured even if not ready to order now.

K. C. ROSE & SON,
No. 329 South Third Street.

A Souvenir Free.

MUNICIPAL MATTERS.

The Mayor And Councilman Fowler Hear From Congressman Wheeler About the Rivers And Harbor

Committee—An Unknown Philanthropist Wants Some Legislation For the Young Lady Clerks of Paducah.

Mayor Lang and Councilman Joe Fowler today received a letter from Congressman Charles K. Wheeler, of this district, stating that the congressional invitation from the council to the committee on rivers and harbors, had been received. The members had received individual invitations, as well.

As soon as he received the invitation, he asked for a hearing from the committee, and at once formally presented the invitation.

The members seemed pleased at the courtesy, and have assured our congressman that should foreign complications not arise, they will pay Paducah a visit in the near future.

Congressman Wheeler expresses gratification that the invitation was tendered in an official form, and signified a belief that the great committee will certainly visit Paducah unless a war with Spain should prevent his contemplated tour.

Today Mayor Lang received a communication from some anonymous philanthropist who feels an untold commiseration for the poor lady clerks. He says that while the council is legislating on other matters, it ought to legislate a little for the benefit of the poor suffering creatures who are employed in stores and compelled to stand on their feet for hours at a time without an intermission.

He then offers an ordinance which presents that no female clerks shall be required to work for longer than eight hours a day, and stools shall be furnished for them by the management.

The mayor was greatly amused at the would-be benefactor's letter, although the intention of the writer is good.

A DAYLIGHT HANGING.
Will Tutt, the Brutal Mayfield Wife Murderer, Must Expiate His Crime on the Gallows.

The Jury Had the Case for Three Days—Day of Execution Not Fixed.

A verdict was this morning reached by the jury in the case against Will Tutt, colored, at Mayfield, charged with killing his wife last summer.

The jury had the case for three days and nights, and the verdict was no surprise, owing to the atrocity of the crime.

Tutt shot his wife three times and killed her last summer because she wanted to go to Columbus, Ky., to attend a game of baseball. She died almost instantly. He has narrowly escaped lynching several times, the last being when Dick Allen was hanged at Mayfield for burglary a few weeks ago. It was then only by persuasion that the mob was induced to spare him. Had the verdict been anything except the death penalty the probabilities are he would have been lynched.

The day of Tutt's execution will be set when he is sentenced.

DECORATOR'S UNION.
Meeting Will Be Held Tomorrow Night to Organize One.

The effort on foot to organize unions of painters and paper hangers, which will probably materialize tomorrow night at a meeting called for the purpose at the city hall, speaks well for the prosperity of Paducah.

In speaking of the movement a prominent agitator said today: "You see it had been some time since we had enough work here to necessitate a union, but this year there is so much work to be done, and promised, that we have decided to revive the union."

Odd Fellows Notice.
Ingleide Lodge, No. 135, meets tonight at 7:30 in special session to confer the Initiatory degree. All Odd Fellows welcome.

J. H. MAXWELL, N. G. FRED HELLER, Sec.

Telephone 121 for best laundry in Paducah.

BONDS' DRUG STORE

THIRD AND COURT

Keeps the Best Brands of Cigars and Tobacco

Telephone 392

HIGH GRADE BICYCLES
THE BIG FOUR
Orient, Waverly, Hamilton, Kenwood

LADIES' AND GENTS' WHEELS
\$25.00 TO \$75.00
We are agents for best juvenile wheels made. First-class repair shop. Wheels to rent.

H. E. CRAFT & SON
431 Jefferson Street.

AGENT HUNTSEY'S UNERRING AIM.
He Is Compelled to Shoot Another Man in Leland, Miss.

Supposed to Be Trouble With a Gang of Train Wreckers.

Mr. C. W. Huntley, formerly special agent of the Illinois Central here, and who has scores of friends here, today telegraphed Mr. Jeff J. Read, his friend here, as follows:

"Unavoidable circumstances caused me to shoot H. C. Farley last night in Leland, Miss. Released on my own recognizance. Everything all O. K. C. W. Huntley."

It is supposed that the shooting was brought about by Mr. Huntley's arrest of Joe Cotton and his gang for train wreckers, of which gang there are six under arrest at Greenville, Miss., and a good prospect of a sextuple lynching.

Mr. Huntley is still a special agent for the Illinois Central, and was recently acquitted for killing a constable down in Mississippi a few months ago.

Judging from the tone of his telegram, his latest difficulty will occasion him no trouble.

Mayfield Presbyterian Program.
The following is the program that has been prepared for the meeting of the Mayfield Presbyterian in the First Cumberland Presbyterian church March 22d-24th:

10:30 a.m.—Opening services by the visiting Moderator, J. E. Edwards, of Water Valley.

11:00 a.m.—Organization.
11:15 a.m.—Reading of minutes of last year's session.
11:30 a.m.—Report of committee on Education.
11:45 a.m.—Report of committee on Church Extension.
12:00 p.m.—General Presbytery business.
1:30 p.m.—Address. Subject: "Where the Lord Leads We Must Follow." Rev. J. L. Hill, Princeton.

2:00 p.m.—Address. Rev. W. J. Darby, D. D. Evansville, Ind.
3:00 p.m.—Adjournment.

THURSDAY.
8:30 a.m.—"Unholy Ghost With Power." Rev. J. E. Jones, Wingo.

9:00 a.m.—General Presbytery business.
10:00 a.m.—Report of committee on Home Missions.
11:00 a.m.—"Elder's Hour." Rev. T. H. Perkins, St. Louis.

2:00 p.m.—Open meeting of Presbytery Educational Society. Rev. J. H. Jones, Pres.
3:00 p.m.—Report of committee on Church Extension in Kentucky synod and address.
4:30 p.m.—General Presbytery business.
5:00 p.m.—Address. "The Day That God Made." Prof. H. M. Bradley, Lincoln, Ill.

8:00 p.m.—Adjournment.

THURSDAY.
8:30 a.m.—"Witness Bearing." Suggested by Rev. J. E. Jones, Wingo.

9:00 a.m.—General Presbytery business.
10:00 a.m.—Address. "The Standard of Excellence in Sunday School Work." Prof. H. M. Bradley, Lincoln, Ill.

11:00 a.m.—Address. "Our Home Work." Rev. T. H. Perkins, St. Louis.

2:00 p.m.—Report of committee on Sabbath Observance.
3:00 p.m.—Address. "Woman's Work in Missions." Suggested by Mrs. J. H. Groussell, Franklin.
4: